CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

73-720 Fred Waring Drive, Suite 100 Palm Desert, CA 92260 (760) 346-7491 Public Notice No. 7-15-15 February 26, 2015

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND INVITATION TO ATTEND TOUR OF IMPERIAL VALLEY BIO-PRODUCTS FACILITY, SYNTHETIC GENOMICS, INC. CALIPATRIA, IMPERIAL COUNTY

The Colorado River Basin Regional Water Quality Control Board will be conducting a public meeting to tour the Synthetic Genomics, Inc., Imperial Valley Bio-Products facility (Facility) on March 12, 2015, after its regularly scheduled Board public meeting in the City Hall offices in the city of Brawley, California. Separate public notice of that regularly scheduled Board meeting will be provided. This Notice is being provided to invite the public to attend the tour with the Board members.

Synthetic Genomics, Inc., whose corporate offices are located at 11149 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, California 92037, owns and operates the Facility. The Facility grows and harvests algae for use in high-value, low-volume, algae-based food and nutritional supplements.

The tour of the Facility is scheduled as follows:

DATE: March 12, 2015

TIME: 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. PLACE: Synthetic Genomics, Inc.

250 West Schrimpf Road Calipatria, CA 92233

Although a quorum of Regional Water Board members may be attending the tour, no action will be taken by the Board during the tour.

If you would like to attend the tour, or if you have any questions about the tour, please contact Doug Wylie at (760) 776-8960, or via email at doug.wylie@waterboards.ca.gov.

Disabled persons who require special accommodations to attend the tour should contact Hilda Vasquez at (760) 346-7491 no later than March 10, 2015,

Please bring the foregoing to the attention of anyone you believe may be interested in this matter.